

5 BILLION BUDGET GIVEN TO CONGRESS

Class Asks for Huge Appropriations, Including \$1,000,000,000 for Army

NEW ERA OF EXPENSES

By the Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 1.—The record billion-dollar Congress of ordinary peace times faded into the past today when Secretary Glass, presenting the annual estimates, proposed appropriations of virtually \$5,000,000,000 for conducting the peacetime activities of the government during the fiscal year 1921.

included in the foregoing, is \$4,865,410,031.62, the greatest sum ever asked by any Congress when the country was not actually at war.

PAINTER HERE HELD IN MEDICINE CASE

Arrested After Woman Is Found Ill in Eighteenth Street Restaurant

MAN FLEES FROM POLICE

Samuel Bowman, a painter, of Bouvier street near Berks, was held by Magistrate Grells in the Nineteenth and Oxford streets police station today under \$800 bail for trial on the charge of practicing medicine without a license.

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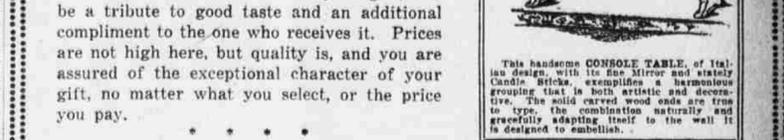
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